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Sir:

Applicants are submitting herewith a copy of U.S. Patent No. 5,162,532 which is relevant to the above application in that it discloses the normal camptothecin compounds having a 7-membered ring whereas the present compounds are 7-membered compounds and have a much greater activity.

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